KALAPULA NATION – DECLARATION OF NONPROFIT FORMATION & FEDERAL EIN INITIATION

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Preamble

Let it be entered into the public and sovereign record:

The Kalapula Nation, in pursuit of restoration, protection, and return to our ancestral lands, has formally initiated the legal process to obtain a Federal Employer Identification Number (EIN) from the United States Internal Revenue Service.

This is the first procedural step toward recognition as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, enabling the Nation to lawfully receive donations, own property, and enter agreements that will accelerate our restoration mission.

Purpose of Action

1. Secure Federal EIN – Application to be filed immediately with the IRS. This will serve as the Nation's federal identification for all lawful nonprofit

activities.

2. Apply for 501(c)(3) Tax-Exempt Status – Upon issuance of the EIN, the Nation will submit its application for tax-exempt status under U.S. law.

3. Preserve Sovereign Identity – This procedural step does not diminish or waive our sovereignty. It is undertaken as a practical tool to engage with donors, grantmakers, and institutions.

4. Enable Land & Resource Acquisition – This structure will facilitate the lawful acceptance of donated lands, buildings, and financial resources to reestablish the Nation's presence in the Willamette Valley.

Statement of Intent

The Kalapula Nation affirms that 100% of all net proceeds, property, and resources acquired under this nonprofit framework will be used exclusively for:

- Land recovery and restoration.
- Protection and revitalization of Kalapula language and culture.
- Support of our citizens, with special attention to the descendants of the Lost Birds.
- Establishment of a permanent national headquarters and cultural center.

Final Declaration

By my sovereign hand and seal, I declare this action to be the lawful and strategic advancement of our Nation's restoration mission.

Let all who read this know that the Kalapula Nation stands in memory, in protection, and in return — and will use every available tool to reclaim what is ours.

With memory, reverence, and flame,

/s/ Chief Daniel Jacob Read IV

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